policy is established, it must apply to all students.

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§ 690.81 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

- (a) An institution shall follow provisions for maintaining general fiscal records in this part and in 34 CFR 668.24(b).
- (b) An institution shall maintain funds received under this part in accordance with the requirements in §668.164.

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§ 690.82 Maintenance and retention of records.

- (a) An institution shall follow the record retention and examination provisions in this part and in 34 CFR 668.24.
- (b) For any disputed expenditures in any award year for which the institution cannot provide records, the Secretary determines the final authorized level of expenditures.

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§690.83 Submission of reports.

- (a)(1) An institution may receive either a payment from the Secretary for an award to a Federal Pell Grant recipient, or a corresponding reduction in the amount of Federal funds received in advance for which it is accountable, if—
- (i) The institution submits to the Secretary the student's Payment Data for that award year in the manner and form prescribed in paragraph (a)(2) of this section by September 30 following the end of the award year in which the grant is made, or, if September 30 falls on a weekend, on the first weekday following September 30; and

- (ii) The Secretary accepts the student's Payment Data.
- (2) The Secretary accepts a student's Payment Data that is submitted in accordance with procedures established through publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER, and that contain information the Secretary considers to be accurate in light of other available information including that previously provided by the student and the institution.
- (3) An institution that does not comply with the requirements of this paragraph may receive a payment or reduction in accountability only as provided in paragraph (d) of this section.
- (b)(1) An institution shall report to the Secretary any change in enrollment status, cost of attendance, or other event or condition that causes a change in the amount of a Federal Pell Grant for which a student qualifies by submitting to the Secretary the student's Payment Data that discloses the basis and result of the change in award for each student. Through publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER, the Secretary divides the award year into periods and establishes the deadlines by which the institution shall report changes occurring during each period. The institution shall submit the student's Payment Data reporting a change to the Secretary by the end of that reporting period that next follows the reporting period in which the change occurred.
- (2) An institution shall submit in accordance with deadline dates established by the Secretary, through publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER, other reports and information the Secretary requires in connection with the funds advanced to it and shall comply with the procedures the Secretary finds necessary to ensure that the reports are correct.
- (3) An institution that timely submits, and has accepted by the Secretary, the Payment Data for a student in accordance with this section shall report a reduction in the amount of a Federal Pell Grant award that the student received when it determines that an overpayment has occurred, unless that overpayment is one for which the institution is not liable under § 690.79(a).